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FLOOD GROWS WORSE

WRECKING OF BRIDGES DEMORALIZES RAILROAD TRAFFIC IN NEBRASKA.

SITUATION BELOW CAIRO

River Gradually Rising and Conditions Becoming More Alarming Hourly. All Efforts to Break Ice Gorge in Grand River of No Avail—Thousands of Acres of Fine Land Inundated in Mississippi.

Lincoln, Neb., March 11.—The flood situation in Nebraska is even worse than twenty-four hours ago. The wrecking by an ice gorge of the main line bridge of the Rock Island across the Platte river at South Bend and that of the Missouri Pacific near Ridgeville has still further demoralized railway traffic. The Rock Island is still running trains between here and Omaha over the Burlington tracks and the Union Pacific utilizes the same line for an outlet from Omaha westward.

The center of the flood along the Platte, which was at Columbia, has moved eastward and now has reached Fremont, the bottom lands four miles east and west of that town being under water. The point of greatest danger now is Plattsmouth, where the Platte empties into the Missouri, which, already high, will be given an increased and dangerous volume as the mass of ice and water flows into it. A gorge which formed at Plattsmouth in the morning, caused the Missouri to go out of its banks and the crash of ice against the Burlington's new steel bridge, shook the structure threateningly. Workmen on the bridge at the time dropped their dinner buckets into the river and fled in terror. Both the Burlington bridges at Plattsmouth are still in danger and are being carefully watched. Over the state every stream of any magnitude is bank full or running over. Stock is being moved to higher ground, but there are occasional reports of stock loss.

RIVER GRADUALLY RISING.

Situation Below Cairo Becoming More Critical.

Cairo, Ill., March 11.—The river at Cairo is gradually rising. The situation below Cairo is hourly becoming more critical. At Birds Point the water is running over the Iron Mountain tracks and is within a few inches of the Cotton Belt tracks. The entire place is under water. The water has backed in behind the levee at Norfolk and the entire country between the river and Charleston is fast being submerged. Reports from Belmont, Mo., say the entire place is under water and that the situation is gradually becoming worse. A serious state of affairs exists at Columbus and Hickman, Ky., thousands of acres of farming lands being covered by raging waters. The farmers have been moving out as best they could, but much valuable stock has been left to perish. The Kentucky country opposite Cairo is under water for several miles back and a large part of the Paducah branch of the Illinois Central tracks has been washed out.

ICE GORGE FORMS.

All Efforts to Break Grand River Jam Prove Futile.

Grand Haven, Mich., March 11.—A great ice gorge has formed in the Grand river above the railroad bridges and there is grave fear that the Grand Trunk and Interurban Electric Railway company's bridges will be carried away, entailing a loss of \$75,000. All efforts to break the ice jam have so far proved futile. The tug Bos, in an effort to break the jam, lost her wheel. Forty thousand logs were carried away from a raft above this city in the afternoon.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 11.—Grand River gave signs of subsiding during the day, the water falling about an inch. At night the water was at a standstill with prospects of another rise. About noon the center of the big dam gave out and it is feared the entire dam will go, which would close all the water power factories here for the summer.

STEADY FALL OF RAIN.

Adds to the Volume of the River at Vicksburg, Miss.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 11.—The river continues to rise slowly. There has been a steady fall of rain here all day. Thousands of acres of fine farming lands along Steele bayou are inundated and the backwater is rapidly spreading. In that section of the country there will be heavy loss of farm animals, as facilities for rescuing them are poor.

Locally the water is rapidly encroaching upon the wholesale district and the cotton compresses. Already the lower floors of several warehouses are flooded. Several hundred state convicts have been placed at the disposal of the Yazoo-Mississippi levee board and will be utilized for strengthening weak places along the line.

River Rising at St. Louis.

St. Louis, March 11.—The Mississippi river is rising here. With every inch of rise the river adds to the distress of the inhabitants of the Cahokia Creek lowlands, north of East St. Louis. Many people have been driven to the second stories of their homes by the encroaching water.

Spaniards Would Raise the Maine.

Madrid, March 11.—Foreign Minister Abazurza will propose at the next cabinet council that the Spanish government take steps to have the wrecked battleship Maine refloated in Havana harbor in order to discover the cause of her sinking.

TWO MEMBERS SUSPENDED.

Bitter Fight Before Chicago Board of Trade Ends.

Chicago, March 11.—Porteus B. Weare, president of the Weare Commission company, and Charles A. Weare, the secretary, were suspended from the board of trade at the directors' meeting during the day. The president will not be allowed the privileges of the board for two years. Charles A. Weare is suspended for one year.

This ends one of the most bitterly contested cases that was ever tried by the directors of the board of trade. Charles G. McNeil of Sioux City, Ia., filed the charges and his complaint was the outcome of a criminal suit against him in which the members of the local commission firm were the prosecutors.

BATTLESHIP CONNECTICUT.

Keel Plates Laid Without Ceremony at Brooklyn Navyyard.

New York, March 11.—The keel plates of the battleship Connecticut, the first large battleship ever constructed in a government navyyard, were laid during the day in the navyyard in Brooklyn. There were no ceremonies in connection with the laying of the plates.

Castro's "Extraordinary War Tax."

Washington, March 11.—Formal notice of the "extraordinary war tax" which President Castro created on the lifting of the blockade has been received at the state department from United States Charge d'Affaires Russell at Caracas. There is a 30 per cent increase in the duties on imports.

Dedicate World's Fair Grounds.

St. Louis, March 11.—At a conference of General H. C. Corbin and world's fair officials the date for the dedication of the grounds and buildings was settled. It will be April 30, when President Roosevelt will be present.

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\$1.00

Lot 3 Ladies fine French Flannel, also all wool embroidered Flannel Shirt Waists including \$3.95 Waists your choice

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Lot Ladies' And Children's Cloaks: Sale Regardless of Price.

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SECURES A CONCESSION

SENATOR MORGAN OBTAINS AN AGREEMENT ON PANAMA CANAL TREATY.

TO ATTACH SPOONER ACT

That Measure Will Be Grafted Bodily Onto the Treaty, But Does Not Amount to an Amendment—Change Made in Compliance With Request of Senator Lodge in Executive Session of Senate.

Washington, March 11.—Senator Morgan during the day secured the first material concession given him by the senate in connection with the Panama treaty with Colombia. This consisted of an agreement to attach the Spooner canal act bodily to the treaty. This change was in compliance with a request presented by Senator Lodge in the executive session of the senate, for the necessity of it had been discussed by Mr. Morgan and other members of the senate committee. Mr. Daniel expressed the opinion that as the preamble to the treaty calls for the attachment of a copy of the act, that attachment was necessary to preserve the terms of the document intact. Senator Morgan contended that without this attachment the treaty was absolutely invalid. Senators Teller and Hoar took the opposite view urging that as the act was in existence and on record in the statutes of the United States the attachment was of no consequence whatever. Senator Lodge, however, suggested that no injury could result from the attachment of the act and unanimous consent was given to do so. It was expressly stipulated, however, that this concession did not amount to an amendment of the treaty.

Discussed Canal Question.

Senator Morgan consumed the entire time of the remainder of the closed session discussing the canal question from various points of view and going over much ground he already had covered. Most of his speech was written and when Senator Cullom asked him if the speech he was

reading was a new one or an old one, he replied with some manifestation of vexation that it was new, adding that he did not have to repeat his addresses. He discussed particularly the commission of which Admiral Walker was the head and criticised at some length the change of views taken by that commission in its last report. He also dwelt on the variation of the terms of the treaty from those of the Spooner law.

During the progress of his address Senator Morgan expressed a desire to have copies of the correspondence between the United States government and the new Panama Canal company regarding the proposition given by that company to the United States to purchase the canal for \$40,000,000 and the senate consented to ask the secretary of state for the correspondence.

Papers Fail to Arrive.

The papers had not arrived at 3:30 o'clock and as Senator Morgan asserted he would not be able to proceed without them, he moved the senate adjourn and this motion prevailed.

During the day there was more or less discussion of the proposition to permit Senator Morgan to publish his remarks in the Congressional Record, but there was no effort to reach a conclusion on this subject.

Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee of foreign relations, has taken the position that this permission to print shall not be granted unless Senator Morgan will agree to allow a day to be fixed for a vote on the treaty. On the other hand, Senator Morgan says that he is entirely independent of the senate in this respect, because he says he can discuss to any extent he pleases in the public prints a former treaty between the United States and Colombia which is almost identical with the pending treaty and which has been made public.

FORGERIES AT MADISON.

Bogus Circulars Received at Capital of Wisconsin.

St. Paul, March 11.—A special to the Globe from Madison, Wis., says: The fight over the change of railway taxation is developing some curious tactics. Circulars were received during the day purporting to come from the St. Paul and Northwestern companies, directed to agents and employees of the roads, in which they are asked to do all they can to defeat the primary election bill and aid valorem taxation measure. It is claimed in the circular that the governor is trying to secure legislation which will seriously reduce the earnings of the railroads and bring about a reduction of wages. The circulars were denounced as clumsy forgeries by the officials of the roads as soon as they saw them.

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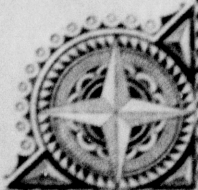
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E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 11, 1903.

Weather.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Colder.

DULUTH and the iron ranges are to be honored by a visit from the legislators the last of the week.

SEVERAL of our exchanges are very much excited over the return of Joel Heatwole to the state.

PAGE MORRIS' term as United States district judge will begin July 1st. His appointment was confirmed by the senate on Monday.

POLITICAL life is business suicide, says Mayor Hugo in his inaugural address at Duluth. Nevertheless, the mayor must like the suicide for he keeps right at it.

THE mission of most newspapers now is to call attention of the public to the miserable condition of the streets, and most people had noticed it before they read the item.

BARTENDERS in the eastern cities are about to organize a "bartenders' temperance society." They argue that their proprietors urge them to be sober, steady and industrious, which is impossible if they drink with the customers. If they can get the proprietors and the customers to join them in the movement the liquor problem will be solved.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. H. Theviot will leave for St. Paul this evening.

J. L. Smith and son Lindsey left for their home in Minneapolis this afternoon.

General Manager Gemmell, Supt. Strachn and Auditor Downey left for points north on the M. & I. this afternoon.

Father Lamott, of Little Falls, is in the city today a guest of Rev. D. W. Lynch.

Representative Munroe, of the Mrs. Brune company, is in the city this afternoon.

F. E. Kenny left for St. Paul this afternoon to attend the state G. A. R. encampment.

Frank Whitford left for St. Paul this afternoon to attend the G. A. R. state encampment.

Miss S. McFadden will be ready to open her millinery in the Bane building about the last of the month.

Mrs. L. Hohman left for St. Paul this afternoon where she goes as a delegate to the state W. R. C. convention.

Tomorrow night a bowling team from the Globe alleys will go to Aitkin to bowl a game with a team of that city.

Manager C. P. Walker, of the Walker Theatre Co., arrived in the city this afternoon from Duluth on business.

W. J. Weddell left this afternoon for St. Paul where he goes to buy some new fixtures for his bakery on Front street.

Graham Bros. have moved their ice cream plant to J. S. Gardner's store room formerly occupied by Stone, Ordean & Wells.

Mrs. George Logan and son came in from Minneapolis yesterday afternoon to visit for a short time with Mr. Logan, who is employed on the M. & I.

The following high scores were made at the Globe bowling alley last week: John Boyle, 174; L. Thomas, 202; L. T. Flake, 181; John Reed, 162; C. L. Burris, 155; E. Thompson, 173; J. Peterson, 157.

P. McDonald, of St. Paul, well known in this city, has been confined in the N. P. Sanitarium for some time, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. He left the hospital this morning and returned to his home in St. Paul on No. 6.

A tailor in the employ of P. M. Zakariassen got out on a spree yesterday afternoon and raised Cain on the north side. He was arrested and put up a \$10 bail for his appearance this morning. He did not appear and the bail was forfeited.

Olaf Skauge left this afternoon for Elk River on business.

E. O. Webb left this afternoon for Walker on business.

Attorney Scribner, of Backus, is in the city this afternoon on business.

The Red Men will hold a smoke social tomorrow night in Columbian hall.

Mrs. Closterman and children, of Fargo, are guests of Mrs. J. A. Long.

J. C. Congdon left for St. Paul this afternoon to attend the state G. A. R. encampment.

Mrs. G. D. Ball arrived in the city this afternoon from St. Paul for a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Swan.

W. H. Cleary, of the firm of Cleary, McGinnis & Hemstead, left this afternoon for Aitkin and other points east on the N. P.

Mrs. J. T. Drawz, of Staples, sister of Mrs. Rounds, passed through the city this afternoon en route to St. Paul to attend the W. R. C. meeting.

The Anna Held company passed through the city this afternoon en route to Duluth. The company had two baggage and two accommodation cars.

Mrs. D. E. Tull, of Staples, is expected in the city this afternoon to visit for a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Somers and family on Ninth street north.

There will be services on Thursday evening at St. Paul Episcopal church. Rev. H. F. Parchall, of St. Cloud, will preach a sermon. The services will be at 8 o'clock.

D. Mahoney and son, James Mahoney, left this afternoon for St. Paul and Chicago. They go, it is understood to buy a complete new outfit for a bakery which they will open up in a short time. It is stated on good authority now that the firm name will be D. Mahoney & Son.

Supt. Hartley has made arrangements for a grand concert to be given at the Brainerd opera house by the school children of the city on April 4. The best talent in the city schools from the primary to the higher grades will participate in the concert, and it is expected that it will be quite a treat.

The Marshall Statesman, of Marshall, Mich., contains a long obituary regarding Joseph Bentley, brother-in-law of Mrs. L. Nelson of this city. Mr. Nelson has been east to attend the funeral. Mr. Bentley was an engineer for the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee road and was very popular at Marshall.

Fisher & Budd will have a car of anthracite stove coal on track Friday morning, last car for season.

THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards, Wood & Co:

Wheat—	May	July
Opening	73 1/2	74 1/2
Highest	73 3/4	74
Lowest	73 1/4	74 1/4
Closing	74	74 1/4

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard	\$ 0.77 1/2
No. 1 Northern .....	.76 1/2
No. 2 Northern .....	.74 1/2
No. 3 Yellow Corn .....	.41 1/2
No. 3 Corn .....	.40 1/2
No. 4 Corn .....	.36 to 40 1/2
No. 2 White Oats .....	.33
No. 3 White Oats .....	.32 to 32 1/2
No. 2 Rye .....	.48 1/2
Barley .....	.42 to 55
Flax cash or to arrive	1.10
July	1.12

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat	\$0.75 1/2
July .....	.72
May Corn .....	.47
July .....	.44
May Oats .....	.34
July .....	.31 1/2
May Pork	18.32
July	17.82
May Lard	10.22
July	10.12
May Ribs	9.97
July	9.77

Wheat—The Government figures were looked upon as bullish on wheat. Cables were all strong. Bradstreet's world's visible supply of wheat decreased 2,400,000. Total clearances 372,000. Primary receipts, 350,000 against 544,000, a year ago. Market could not ignore the remarkable strength in Paris. Prices are higher there now than before our wheat started to decline.

Corn—Ruled strong. Government report was bullish and the reason was that the situation was different than in wheat.

Oats—The market was dull and lacked usual activity.

Flax—Market was active and considerable demand.

Just received a carload of fence wire at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-1f

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

The indications are now that the Brainerd opera house will be packed on Monday evening, the event of the grand entertainment to be given under the auspices of St. Francis church, this being the annual St. Patrick's day offering. Hon. Thos. D. O'Brien, of St. Paul, who is to deliver an address, is said to have been called upon to give addresses at public gatherings more than any other man in the state. He is a fluent speaker and has the pleasing knack of holding his hearers throughout the evening. This rare treat with a musical program rendered by such well known artists as Messrs. Alderman, Mattes, Imgrund, Ady, Wilson and McCarthy brothers will be a great offering. Graham's orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion.

"THE BURGLAR AND THE WAIF."

Among the most successful play-wrights of the day is Chas. T. Dazey, whose "In Old Kentucky" ran 200 nights in New York and "The Suburban," which broke the house record at MacVicker's theatre, Chicago, with 150 nights to its credit and both of these plays have been in Chicago this season for return dates with phenomenal success. His latest effort, "The Burglar and the Waif," comes to the Brainerd theatre next Tuesday March 17th—St. Patrick's Day with Miss Inez Forman, one of cleverest little actresses of the day, as the "Waif". Miss Forman is fully equal to her task, and that her audiences appreciate her is shown by the repeated curtain calls which she has received wherever she has appeared. Miss Forman's support is very good and the scenic effects, particularly the burning of the burglar's house are very effective.

"UNORNA."

Mrs. Brune and a company of exceptional strength will appear at the Brainerd theatre soon in "Unorna," a creation by F. Marion Crawford, prepared for stage use by Espy Williams. Mrs. Brune, by the extraordinary versatility she displayed in Sardou's "Theodora", acquired the title "The American Bernhardt". In "Unorna" it is said that there is opportunity for a display of all her strength, as well as her skill in depicting the various moods of woman. The character takes her from the condition of a child of nature, innocent of the great world, through suffering and love, to the realization of her desires. "Unorna" is possessed of a mystic power which gives her extraordinary influence over those who surround her and in the play she employs this power with wonderful results.

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EASILY DECIDED.

This Question Should be Answered Easily by Brainerd People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow citizens and people you know, or depend upon statements made by utter strangers, residing in far-away places? Read the following:

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DISPOSITION TO SHIRK

HOUSE LOITERS ALONG AND RECEIVES A REMINDER FROM THE SPEAKER.

THE SENATE VOTES IN FAVOR OF AN ADJOURNMENT ON APRIL 15.

St. Paul, March 11.—The hour again evinced its disposition to drift in the morning, and received another reminder from the speaker. Thirty-three bills appeared upon general orders, of which only seven were reported for passage.

Mr. Smith's bill postponing the entry of judgment in divorce cases for one year following the close of the trial, was killed in committee of the whole.

George R. Swift of Minneapolis introduced a bill prohibiting the use of explosives for blasting purposes within 100 feet of any dwelling in a city of 200,000 or more.

A bill by Mr. Soule is aimed at a Stillwater citizen who has been interfering with the city's supply of drinking water by digging a well adjoining the spring. The bill prevents the "construction, maintenance and operation of any fence, ditch, drain, well, excavation of structure on real property by the owner or occupant thereof, which is maliciously constructed or maintained for the purpose of annoying occupants of adjoining property." This will also do away with "spite" fences.

A bill that will revolutionize probate court practice was introduced by Mr. Gregory of St. Paul. The measure provides that a man accused of insanity or incompetence shall be given a jury trial in all cases involving his right to the management of his property or of his own person.

Mr. Bouck of Morrison sent in a bill prohibiting any but railway employees from riding velocipedes or bicycles on railroad tracks.

Mr. Fust of Hennepin presented a bill prohibiting the use of minnow nets in water stocked with fish fry by the state game and fish commission.

Referred to Special Committee.

The anti-trust bill, a special order for the day, was referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. W. A. Nolan, Tighe, Armstrong, Shearer, Clague, Ofsthun and Haugland.

It committee of the whole the house gave favorable consideration to Mr. Randall's bill, requiring the display of the American flag on public school houses.

Mr. Shearer called up S. F. 281 by Mr. Brower, which provides that St. Cloud may vote bonds to purchase the waterworks plants. As the election is to be held April 7, the bill was passed under suspension.

Under suspension the house passed Mr. Gillette's bill, making the state treasurer custodian of all moneys given or willed to the state university.

The gross earnings bills were taken up in the afternoon by the house committee on taxes. The committee invited the authors of the different bills introduced to argue their merits. J. D. Shearer and Lawrence Johnson appeared on behalf of their joint bill and H. E. Fryberger spoke for his measure. General Wilson was also invited to explain the measure which he introduced in the senate. The committee will probably introduce a bill of its own.

Representative Chincock's bill to allow the renewal and perfecting of records in the register of deeds' office in any county, passed the house.

Representative Ole Peterson's bill to allow the use of half of the money received in any township from liquor licenses upon township roads, passed the house by a vote of 61 to 20, with only one vote to spare. A notice of reconsideration was given. Other bills passed were:

H. F. 462—Bonds by cities of 10,000 for park purposes.

H. F. 364—Legalize village incorporations.

H. F. 469—Powers and duties of villages.

EARLY ADJOURNMENT.

Senator Lord Wins a Compromise Victory.

Senator Sam Lord has won a compromise victory in his effort to secure an early adjournment of the legislature. The senate in the morning voted in favor of adjourning on April 15, or six days earlier than the compulsory date of April 21. By this resolution the last day for the introduction of bills is March 25. It is assumed that the house will concur.

A bill of utmost importance to shippers and common carriers was introduced by Senator George P. Wilson. It defines a bill of lading in concise, unequivocal language. It is prima facie evidence of what it purports to be and carriers are not permitted to prove that the officer or agent issuing it had not the authority, or to prove that the property was not actually received.

Senator L. E. Jepson of Minneapolis submitted a bill relating to the right of publishers to collect for their publications. It provides that no publisher of a newspaper or other periodical shall be entitled to collect for his publication sent to a person who never subscribed for it nor for a paper sent to a subscriber after his subscription has expired, unless the subscription has been renewed.

In order to establish liability for damages caused by the acts of mobs, a bill was introduced in the senate by Senator Wilson at the request, as he explained, of "parties who have probably had some experience in that direction." The bill provides that whenever a building or other real or personal property except property in transit is destroyed or injured in consequence of any mob or riot composed of twelve or more persons, the city, or if not in a city, then the county in which the property was destroyed shall be liable by action at law for three-fourths the damages sustained.

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BAKING CONTEST.

For the purpose of encouraging the use of NEW GOLD FLOUR

among the best cooks of Brainerd, we have arranged to have a series of bread baking contests for prizes.

The first award will be made on the afternoon of March 14th, 1903, at the store of Elg Brothers.

The second one on the afternoon of March 21st, 1903, at the store of Dahl & Engbreisen.

The third on the afternoon of March 28th, 1903, at the store of Scandinavian Co-operative Mercantile Co.

The fourth on the afternoon of April 4th, 1903, at the store of Brendenbergs & Erickson.

The fifth on the afternoon of April 11th, 1903, at the store of A. Holdquist.

The sixth on the afternoon of April 18th, 1903, at the store of Forsythe & Laing.

The judges will be chosen by a committee and the prizes, a fine Linen Table Cloth at each contest will be on exhibition for two weeks before the several contests, at the places where the contests are to be held. All are cordially invited to participate in the contests.

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To The People of Brainerd

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:-

The spring season will soon open up and house cleaning will be in order. To do so properly you will have to make some changes. New paint and paper will have to be put on. Economy in this line, is generally the rule. To assist you in securing your wall paper at a very low cost, I have secured sample books, of the G. W. Turner Co., of Minneapolis, and Wm. Stevenson Co., Chicago Ill. These lines are the best that the market affords, comprising white blanks, plain and embossed bronzes, plain and embossed flats, silks, cretonnes, self tone effect, tapestries, varnished tiles, stripes in plain floral and damask effects, ingrain plain figured and crepe, with borders and ceilings to match. Included in these samples are some patterns made by the F. E. James Wall Paper Manufacturers, which they guarantee, NOT TO FADE. Every roll stamped with their guarantee. These lines must be seen to be appreciated. You who are going to do papering, call and look over these samples before purchasing elsewhere.

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Sleeper Block.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new spring line of wall paper and room moulding.

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of sugar for \$1.00

HAD A LITTLE LOG ROLLING CONTEST

William F. Richardson Brought to the City from Northern Part of County.

CHARGED WITH STEALING LOGS.

Hearing Had this Morning Before Judge Warner is Continued for One Week.

This morning there was a hearing before Judge Warner in the case of the state against William F. Richardson who is charged with stealing a large quantity of logs off of some land in the northern part of the state.

W. H. Dudley, the land man, is the complaining witness in this case and it seems that it is the inauguration of a crusade against men who occupy land adjoining tracts that are not under cultivation, who persist in taking the liberty of cutting the timber off such unoccupied land. Richardson in this case is charged with appropriating \$55 worth of logs belonging to Dudley. The amount was so small that it is claimed that Richardson never had the least suspicion that he would be detected. Mr. Dudley claims that Richardson admitted having stolen the logs. The hearing this morning was continued for one week. The amount taken makes it a criminal offense and Mr. Dudley is said to be rather strenuous in his views and will push the matter to the limit.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Apply at 501 N. 10th street 238-31

The month of March calls for a coat that will keep you dry and warm. Our rain-proofs are just the thing for spring wear.

LINDEMANN & CARLSON.

J. M. HEFFNER IS ELECTED

Second Lieutenant of Company F, M. S. N. G.—Lieut. Wilkins' Resignation Has Been Accepted.

There was a meeting last night of the members of Company F, M. S. N. G., at Gardner hall, called for the purpose of electing a second lieutenant, which office has been vacant for some time. The resignations of Capt. Nelson and Lieut. Wilkins had been sent in some time ago and last night the acceptance of the resignation of Lieut. Wilkins was received. This left a vacancy in the positions of both lieutenants. J. M. Heffner was elected second lieutenant and as soon now as he receives his commission, which it is understood Col. Van Duzee has promised to send him at once, the property in the custody of Capt. Nelson will be checked up and turned over and immediate action will then be taken on the captain's resignation.

Mr. Heffner was present and thanked the boys for the honor and assured them that the best interests of the company would always be looked after by him.

There were a number of new enlistments and national guard matters are now looking up in this city.

Garden seeds and lawn grass at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-1f

Awnings! Awnings!! At D. M. Clark & Co's.

COULD NOT FIND RELATIVES.

So J. J. White, Who Has been Held at Losey & Dean's Morgue for Months, Buried Today.

The remains of a man by the name of J. J. White were laid to rest this morning at 11 o'clock at Evergreen cemetery in a pauper's grave. He was the man that died at the N. P. Sanitarium December 30th last. He came to the hospital from the west, but the authorities never learned where his relatives lived, and all efforts since the demise, to locate them have proven futile. He was held all this time with the hopes the relatives of the dead man might send some word, but none came.

Simple and brief services were held by Rev. J. Clulow before the interment.

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Newline lace curtains and draperies at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-1f

THE MAJOR IS LOCATED.

The Portly Editor of the Fargo Forum After all the Years of Patient Waiting Gets Something.

The North Dakota delegation, after working like Trojans for several years to locate Major A. W. Edwards, of Fargo, in some good governmental position, have finally secured the promise of the president to make him consul general at Montreal, paying in salary and fees about \$6,000 a year, says the Minneapolis Journal correspondent from Washington.

But the major doesn't know whether he wants the place or not; on the whole he rather thinks he doesn't want it. This attitude rather disgusts the delegation, which thinks the Montreal place one of great importance and one that would give Major Edwards an opportunity to make a record, especially if the question of Canadian reciprocity becomes a live one, as it promises to do through the reconvening of the joint high commission.

The major, it is becoming more and more apparent, is rather difficult to please. He has had opportunity to secure several good positions in the past two years, but has declined them all, on the theory that they were not big enough for him, and would take him away from Washington where he very much wants to live.

Recently he has wanted to be assistant secretary of the new department of commerce and labor. The president, however, will not give him that place. Next he wanted to succeed W. R. Merriam as director of the census, but this he cannot have because it is claimed he is not a big enough man for it.

In short the major apparently wants a good many things that he cannot get and nothing that he can get. The delegation will get his final answer on the Montreal offer this week and if he declines, it is a good guess that there will be "nothing doing" along the line of a job for him for a good many months.

SUMMER OPERA.

Manager C. P. Walker Visits Duluth on an Important Business Mission. May Benefit Brainerd.

Con. P. Walker, manager of the "Breadbasket" circuit of theatres, is in the city.

He is here to make some arrangements for combining with Manager Marshall to bring a first class opera company to this country for next summer.

The negotiations for the bringing of the company or its organization have not been completed, but the joining of hands with Manager Marshall of this city makes the project nearer a certainty.

Mr. Walker's houses are at Winnipeg, Grand Forks, Fargo, Crookston and Brainerd.

"The Fargo stand is one of the best one-night houses in America," said Mr. Walker this noon at the Spalding. "No company ever comes away from there disappointed."

"Winnipeg has been a corker this season. The hotels are crammed full all the time and the theatre has been in the same condition. We are having the best season we ever had."

"I have no idea of closer connections for a circuit, as we catch every thing that goes to the coast or returns, and other companies could hardly make the trip for the business that is on it, because of the distances."

"We lost Anna Held, and I am sorry, because it closes our houses three days this week. Mr. Ziegfeld wired me from Portland that it would be almost impossible to make the engagements and wanted his release."

"I was at Brainerd and came to Duluth to confer with Mr. Marshall regarding plans for summer opera. We have not closed any deal as yet, but I feel confident of the success of a good company in this part of the country in the summer months."

Mr. Walker will leave for Brainerd tomorrow morning.—Duluth Herald.

H. A. Lensrud is prepared to give violin lessons. Orders will be taken at Graham's Music Store. 3112w

Fisher & Budd will have a car of anthracite stove coal on track Friday morning, last car for season.

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WOMAN ARRESTED ON A TELEGRAM

Mrs. H. Patrick, of Cass Lake, is Taken in by Chief of Police Sargent Today.

DOMESTIC TROUBLE AT BOTTOM

Of the Unfortunate Affair, and Woman Tells of Running Away to Avoid Punishment.

A Mrs. H. Patrick was arrested by Chief of Police Sargent this noon as she alighted from the M. & I. passenger train with a little daughter. Her home is in Cass Lake and the arrest was made on a telegram from the deputy sheriff at that place, although the telegram did not state what the woman was wanted for.

She was as much surprised as anyone at being arrested and when she and her little daughter were taken to the city jail she shrieked and cried and told a pitiful tale to the chief of police. She says she left home because her husband was cruel to her and abused her most unmercifully. It seems that the twain were married in this city and lived here at one time. She is the daughter of H. Phelps, a former Brainerd drayman. When she married Patrick he had four or five children and she claims never to have been happy a moment in his company.

The officers will hold Mrs. Patrick until it is learned what charge has been filed against her.

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AN INCIPIENT BLAZE.

Fire Alarm from the N. P. Shops Caused Some Little Excitement but there was Small Damage.

Last night shortly after 9 o'clock the big whistle at the Northern Pacific shops sounded a fire alarm and there was considerable excitement in the city, as the whistle blew continuously for several minutes.

A small cupboard in the machine shop caught fire and was burned, but the fire was extinguished before further damage was done.

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ESDON ETCHINGS.

* Dan Chord came home from the woods last Saturday.

The first crows we have seen put in an appearance March 8th.

Miss Dottie Sorenson visited Mrs. J. L. Hammett Friday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker are expecting to move onto their new farm soon.

The snow is leaving us quite rapidly, at present. It looks as if winter was nearly over.

It is reported that wedding bells will be ringing in the near future, in the town of Nokay Lake.

The town board looked over the new road that is to be built, and we suppose it is a sure thing now.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garrison and old Mrs. Chord and Dan were visitors at L. E. Garrison's Sunday.

Mrs. Schofield and Mrs. D. Archibald were visitors at B. P. Chord's the day the road to Bay Lake was laid out.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hammett received a letter from their son Sam, last week. It was just a case of lost or miscarried letters.

L. E. Garrison returned from Pequot Saturday where he has been surveying. He will shortly go to Daggett Brook for a few days work.

Mrs. M. L. and Mrs. J. L. Hammett, Miss Dottie Sorenson, Little Marie Hammett, Mr. J. Flint and Mott Hammett were some of the Esdon folk that spent the day in Brainerd last Saturday.

DAME RUNOR.

New, spring, rain proof overcoats at Lindeemann & Carlson's.

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7 bars Jaxon Soap None better, for.....	25c	3 lbs Very Best Prunes for.....	25c
5 doz Clothes Pins for.....	5c	Dried Peaches and Apples, per lb.....	10c
1 Bottle of Bluing for.....	5c	Dried Plums and Pears per lb.....	12 1/2c
Best Rice @ 10c, 1c and.....	5c	Dried Apples, best grade per lb.....	10c
Best Sago per lb.....	6c	Cranberries per qt.....	12 1/2c
Macaroni per package.....	10c	Bulk Olives per pt.....	20c
Best Tapioca per lb.....	6c	6 lbs Small Navy Beans for.....	25c
Royal Baking Powder per can, 35c and.....	18c	5 lb Pail Jelly for.....	20c
Bakers Chocolate per cake.....	16c	3 lbs bulk Mince Meat for.....	25c
Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can.....	16c	1 gal Saur Kraut for.....	15c
Can Cream per can.....	10c	1 lb Good Tea for.....	30c
No. 1 Lamp Chimney each.....	5c	1 lb Better Tea for.....	40c
No. 2 Lamp Chimney each.....	8c	1 lb Best Tea for.....	50c

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COLUMBIAN BLOCK IMPROVED.

W. D. McKay is Having Considerable Work Done about the Building and a New Hall Room is Furnished.

W. D. McKay has had men at work making some extensive alterations in the Columbian block, on Sixth street, and when completed the block will have been thoroughly renovated and overhauled.

On the ground floor steel ceilings have been put in the D. M. Clark & Co. store and in the vacant store room formerly occupied by Beach & Son. This last store room is to be occupied by A. F. Kenyon with a stock of clothing. The room has been thoroughly overhauled, repapered and repainted, and Mr. Kenyon expects to move in this week.

Another lodge room has been provided for on the third floor and will be ready for occupancy in a short time. The total improvements to the block will reach nearly \$2,000.

Notorious Moonshiner Killed. Knoxville, Tenn., March 11.—Garrett Heddon, a notorious moonshiner, has been stabbed to death by his brother, Riley Heddon, in Polk county. A year ago in an altercation with another brother, Garrett killed him, and this murder led to a quarrel during which Riley plunged a knife through Garrett's body.

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No. 6, St. Paul Express	12:45 p. m.	1:05 p. m.		
No. 14, Duluth Express	3:55 a. m.	4:05 a. m.		
No. 12, Duluth Express	1:00 p. m.	1:10 p. m.		
WEST BOUND.			Arrive.	Depart.
No. 5, Fargo Express	1:05 p. m.	1:25 p. m.		
No. 13, Pacific Express	11:55 p. m.	12:05 a. m.		
No. 11, Pacific Express	12:35 p. m.	12:45 p. m.		
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A couple of winters ago I slipped on a frozen sidewalk and fell flat on my back. On being examined I found that I had sustained internal injuries which laid me up for more than two months. After that I noticed that I had pains in the back and groin which I never had before. I doctored and doctored for several months but as the pains increased instead of growing better I decided that I was not having the right treatment. Reading in the papers of the wonderful cures performed by Wine of Cardui I wrote to one of the parties and received a very satisfactory reply and I immediately sent for some. In a very short time I felt generally better and after seven weeks faithful use I was once more well and strong. I have never had a sick hour since and I daily bless your splendid medicine.

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Wine of Cardui is adapted to women at any age in any walk of life. For the working woman it gives her strength for her tasks and better treatment than a doctor for very small cost.

Your druggist will sell you a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui. Secure the medicine today. Take it in the privacy of your home. Relief will come to you as surely as you take it.

WINE of CARDUI A million suffering women have found relief in Wine of Cardui.

ON EVERY HAND.
Grave Uneasiness Over Flood Situation at Memphis.
Memphis, Tenn., March 11.—The river is above thirty-five feet on the gauge and rising. The current is swifter and more driftwood is running than at any previous time during the present rise. Between 8 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the afternoon a rise of three-tenths was recorded.
All of these conditions tend to give a most gloomy view of the flood situation and uneasiness is increasing on every hand.
The government steamer Atlee has left for White River with a cargo of material and a large body of portola. All patrols are under arms.

PATROLLING LEVEES.
Armed Guards to Prevent Cutting of Embankments.
Natchez, Miss., March 11.—Armed guards are patrolling the levees along the river front to prevent the cutting of the embankments, which are barely confining the waters of the flooded Mississippi. Rain which fell in torrents in the morning has swelled all tributaries.
Heavy rains added to the gravity of the situation. The river is now above the danger line.
The steamer Betsy Ann brought in 250 people from the flooded district between here and Bayou Sara. A number of them are destitute. They will be cared for here.

GROWING MORE DANGEROUS.
Situation Along River Front in Mississippi Alarming.
Jackson, Miss., March 11.—The situation in the Mississippi delta and along the Mississippi river water front is growing more dangerous hourly. Forces of state convicts are being rushed to the river front. A great deal will depend upon the levees on the Arkansas side of the river.

SIX STRANGE DEATHS.
Passengers on Steamer Karamania Held at Quarantine.
New York, March 11.—Six strange deaths at sea aboard the Anchor Line steamer Karamania from Marseilles, Palermo and Naples caused that vessel to be detained at quarantine and Health Officer Doty, after an examination, said the symptoms were so similar to those of cholera that the ship would be thoroughly disinfected and its 723 passengers and the crew sent to Hoffman's Island to remain there until the health officer positively knows they are free from infection. The bodies were buried at sea and the meagre report of the ship's doctor increased Dr. Doty's suspicions. Each of the six victims died in convulsions following an attack of nausea and cramps.
Health Officer Doty, after an examination, said: "All the symptoms of those who died on the Karamania, are so similar to those of cholera that I propose to keep the vessel, crew and passengers as if it were certain. The passengers, 723 in number, will be detained until I am sure they are free from infection."
This is the Karamania's second experience of the kind. On Aug. 3, 1893, she arrived off Naples and reported three deaths during the trip. Dr. Jenkins, then health officer, reported that the deaths had been due to cholera.

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MEETS VIOLENT DEATH
ARTHUR R. PENNELL, PROMINENT FIGURE IN THE BURDICK CASE, IS DEAD.

AUTOMOBILE JUMPS CURB
Machine Plunges into Stone Quarry, Instantly Killing the Man and Probably Fatally Injuring His Wife—Only Witnesses of the Tragedy Are Two Boys Who Were Too Far Away to Know Just How It Happened.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 11.—More terrible almost than the death of E. L. Burdick, was the tragedy that occurred late in the afternoon, when Arthur R. Pennell, one of the chief figures in the investigation of the Burdick murder, was hurled headlong into eternity. Mr. Pennell was riding in his electric automobile, with Mrs. Pennell. They were on Kensington avenue near Fillmore avenue, skimming along the edge of the Gehrs stone quarry, a huge rock-ribbed hole in the ground. Mr. Pennell's hat blew off. The auto swerved and leaped over the curb into the abyss below.

Pennell was Killed Instantly, his head being crushed to an unrecognizable mass. Mrs. Pennell was injured so severely that the surgeons at the Sisters' hospital, to which she was taken, say her chances of recovery are very slight.

Two boys saw the tragedy. They were too far away to know positively just how it happened. Mrs. Pennell, when found, was unable to speak. She was only semi-conscious when taken to the hospital and could speak no coherent words. After the operations, performed by Dr. Eugene Smith, in the hope of saving her life, she lapsed into unconsciousness and hence there can be no true version of precisely how the affair occurred.

It is intimated in some quarters that it was a case of suicide on the part of Pennell, and that the Burdick murder was the cause thereof.

BRYAN THE FEATURE.
Michigan Democratic Convention Dull Without Him.

Detroit, Mich., March 11.—Without the presence of William Jennings Bryan, who made an address at the morning session, the Democratic convention at the Armory in this city would have been featureless. Judge George L. Yapple, of Mendon, who is the nominee for supreme judge for a term of ten years to succeed Judge Frank A. Hooker, was nominated without any other name being presented to the convention. For regent of the state university, Wellington R. Burt of Saginaw was left in undisputed possession of the field, before the first ballot was completed. Mr. H. C. Davis and Dr. F. J. Welsh were candidates for a second vacancy on the board of regents, but were defeated by Willis J. Abbott of Battle Creek, editor of the Pilgrim Magazine.

The resolutions adopted merely bespeak the support of "thoughtful citizens for those principles of government, which find expression through the national platform of the party."

BOXERS DRILLING AT NIGHT.
Dozen of Them Killed in Fight With Imperial Troops.
Peking, March 11.—Yuan Shi Kai, the governor of Chi Li province, having been informed that the Boxer organization was resuming activity in the eastern part of the province, dispatched troops who discovered that members of the society, well armed, were drilling at night in a town 100 miles east of Peking. The Boxers were dispersed after a dozen of them and several soldiers had been killed. Yuan Shi Kai ordered the prisoners to be beheaded and their heads displayed in public, and issued a proclamation imposing the death penalty on members and abettors of the organization.

CRISIS DEFERRED.
Date Set for Argument on Wabash Injunction.

St. Louis, March 11.—The announcement by United States Judge Adams of the date on which he will hear arguments on the motion to dissolve the Wabash injunction defers the crisis at least another week. Tuesday, March 17 is the date set for the argument.

The court gave counsel until Saturday morning to file exceptions to the argument and counter affidavits in support of the bill of complaint. In the meantime attorneys for the defense are taking a rest and work on the Wabash system is proceeding as usual.

Celebrate Fortieth Anniversary.
London, March 11.—The fortieth anniversary of the marriage of King Edward and Queen Alexandra was celebrated with the customary firing of salutes and ringing of bells. Their majesties received many telegrams of congratulation from public bodies.

Stock Losses Heavy.
Ardmore, I. T., March 11.—Reports from the ranges indicate that cattle losses to stockmen as the result of the recent blizzard have been very heavy. It is estimated that 40,000 head of cattle perished in the Territory.

CHARCOAL HOUSE BURNS.
Fire at Pleasant Prairie, Wis., Causes Panic Among Workmen.
Kenosha, Wis., March 11.—The Laflin & Rand Powder company charcoal house at Pleasant Prairie was destroyed by fire, with a loss of \$5,000, the lives of several hundred workmen being placed in jeopardy.
The house was located some distance from the mills in which the powder is made, but when the flames took the big building the men fled in terror from the mills, fearing that a spark would cause an explosion that would result in the entire plant being wrecked. In their frenzy to get out of the buildings many of the men were slightly injured.
By quick action of the more clear headed of the workmen the fire was held at the charcoal house. Its origin is not known.

MEETS KING LEOPOLD.
President Francis Has an Audience With Belgian Monarch.
Brussels, March 11.—President D. R. Francis of the St. Louis exposition arrived here in the morning from Berlin. He was met by United States Minister Townsend, who accompanied him on visits to the premier, and the minister of agriculture. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon King Leopold received Mr. Francis in an audience which lasted an hour. The king expressed great interest in the St. Louis exposition and assured Mr. Francis that Belgium would participate in it.

Minister Townsend entertained Mr. Francis at dinner at night, after which the latter left for Paris in order to catch the Kron Prinz Wilhelm for New York, at Cherbourg.

DESTROYS VALUABLE PROPERTY.
Fire at Portland, Ore., Consumes Two Docks and Much Wheat.
Portland, Ore., March 11.—Fire broke out shortly before noon on Victoria dock, situated on the east side of the Willamette river, just north of the railroad bridge, and burned fiercely for two hours, destroying property of an estimated value of \$600,000.
The fire spread to the Irving dock, adjoining, and the two docks, together with about 350,000 bushels of wheat, were totally destroyed. Several other buildings and about 20 freight cars were destroyed.

Canning, Wallace & Co., and Zan Bros., wholesale houses, and the Oregon Railway and Navigation company's Ash street docks are on fire. Loss will probably be heavy.

CATHEDRAL CROWDED.
Great Throng Witnesses Installation of Archbishop Guiley.
Chicago, March 11.—In the presence of a great throng of the laity and priesthood crowding every foot of space in the huge cathedral of the Holy Name, Bishop James E. Guiley of Buffalo was installed archbishop of the Chicago archdiocese of the Roman Catholic church. The ceremonies, which were most impressive and solemn, were in accordance with an ancient ritual of the church.

Distress Severe in Dalmatia.
Vienna, March 11.—The distress in Dalmatia is so severe that the people in parts of that province are reported to be subsisting on the bark of trees and on wild herbs.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.
The Canadian Pacific strike situation is practically unchanged.
The condition of Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild, who is ill at Naples, is critical.
General Robert O'Neill, surgeon of the army, is confined to his bed at Washington with an attack of the grippe.
The senate in executive session confirmed the nomination of Milton D. Purdy of Minnesota as assistant attorney general.
A sum total of \$9,850 now hangs over the heads of the man or men who killed Policeman Mendelssohn at Watertbury, Conn.
Vesuvius continues to cast forth colossal columns of flame and thick clouds of smoke accompanied by subterranean rumblings and slight shocks of earthquake.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.
Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, March 10.—Wheat—May, 73½¢; 73½¢; July, 73½¢; 73½¢. On track—No. 1 hard, 75½¢; No. 1 Northern, 74½¢; No. 2 Northern, 73½¢; 73½¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, March 10.—Cattle—Good to choice, \$4.50@5.00; common to fair, \$3.00@4.25; cows and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; veals \$2.50@5.50. Hogs—\$6.70@7.45. Sheep—Good to choice, \$5.00@5.75; heavy, \$5.00@5.50; lambs, \$6.25@6.75.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, March 10.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 74½¢; No. 1 Northern, 73½¢; No. 2 Northern, 71½¢; No. 3 spring, 68½¢. To arrive—No. 1 Northern, 74½¢; No. 2 Northern, 72½¢; May and July, 74½¢. Flax—Cash, \$1.07½.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, March 10.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.00@5.75; poor to medium, \$3.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.75; cows and heifers, \$1.40@4.75; calves, \$3.50@6.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$7.20@7.55; good to choice heavy, \$7.55@7.75; rough heavy, \$7.30@7.55; light, \$6.80@7.30. Sheep—Good to choice, \$5.00@5.65; Western, \$4.75@5.65; native lambs, \$5.00@7.00; Western, \$5.00@7.15.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, March 10.—Wheat—May, 74½¢; 74½¢; July, 71½¢; 71½¢; Sept., 70½¢; 70½¢. Corn—March 45½¢; May, 47½¢; 47½¢; July, 44½¢; 44½¢; Sept., 43½¢. Oats—March, 33½¢; 33½¢; May, 34½¢; 34½¢; July, 31½¢; 31½¢; Sept., 28½¢; 28½¢. Pork, May, \$18.40; July, \$17.92½; Sept., \$17.72½. Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.11; Southwestern, \$1.09; May, \$1.11. Butter—Creameries, 18¢; 27½¢; dairies, 14¢. Eggs—16½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 15¢; 18¢; chickens, 10¢; 13¢.

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PHILIPPINE NEWS.
Officials Trying to Stop Extensive Smuggling on Transports.
Manila, March 11.—Collector Schuster has seized a quantity of silk, silver and liquor brought from Hong Kong on the United States transport Seward, but not recorded on the manifest and has ordered the arrest of Capt. Harry Chamberlain and the quartermaster of the vessel, on the charge of smuggling. The goods were purchased in Hong Kong at the request of prominent army officers, who say they had no knowledge of the plan to conceal them and who deny any intent to defraud the customs. The officials say smuggling is frequent on transports and regular naval vessels and that they are determined to put a stop to it.

Ladrones Badly Scattered.
After a series of skirmishes between the government troops and the ladrones in Rizal province the ladrones have been badly scattered. Many of their leaders were captured.
William Crozier, editor of the American, who, with a reporter of the paper, was arrested March 2 on the charge of libelling General Davis, commander of the American troops, has been convicted, but has not been sentenced.
The Philippine government is preparing a bill regulating the importation of opium. It is proposed to control the traffic through one concessioner.

READY TO APPEAR.
Dr. Ames Arrives in Manchester to Fight Extradition.

Manchester, N. H., March 11.—A. A. Ames, ex-mayor of Minneapolis, is quartered at the Manchester House. He will appear before Judge Pike of the supreme court, when it will be decided whether he shall be set free on the questions brought up by his petition for a habeas corpus, or whether he shall be returned to Minnesota. There is the alternative of an appeal, but whether he will avail himself of that means of further delaying the issue is yet to be seen.
Dr. Ames and his wife occupy one room and in the room adjoining are two deputy sheriffs. Dr. Ames is kept in strictest seclusion and no one is allowed to approach the rooms.

The doctor stood the journey of sixty-two miles from Hancock, where he had been staying with Rev. Mr. Chapin, his brother-in-law, with no inconvenience, except some signs of fatigue when he alighted at the Manchester station at night.

FRIGHTENS THE PASSENGERS.
Colored Man on Train Threatens to Kill Everyone in Sight.
Milwaukee, Wis., March 11.—A special to the Journal from Portage, Wis., says: For about thirty minutes a colored man who gave his name as Charles Green had a train crew and a trainload of passengers completely at his mercy.
Between LaCrosse and Portage he became noisy and the conductor endeavored to quiet him. He refused to keep quiet and began throwing water on the passengers and with a big knife threatened to kill everybody in sight. After delaying the train at Portage twenty minutes he was captured and lodged in jail. No one was injured.

KNAPP THE DEFENDANT.
Ohio Strangler Subpoenaed in Joseph Roth Case.
Hamilton, O., March 11.—Alfred A. Knapp, the confessed strangler of five women and children, has been subpoenaed for the defendant in the case of Joseph Roth, which is to be tried here, charged with assault upon little Hattie and Stella Motzer in this city last fall. Although Knapp has denied knowledge of this crime, Roth's counsel says that Knapp so closely resembles their client that he might have been mistaken for him by the children. In addition Knapp, under the guise of a detective, tried to induce Mrs. Motzer to put the case in his hands.

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